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Sir:

The applicants respond to the Non-Final Office Action dated July 12, 2006 and petition for a one month extension of time.

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